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10/811,369	03/26/2004	Frank Kirschke	070255.0637	2809

TITLE OF INVENTION: METHOD FOR DETECTION OF A LEAK IN THE INTAKE MANIFOLD OF AN INTERNAL COMBUSTION ENGINE AND INTERNAL COMBUSTION ENGINE SETUP ACCORDINGLY

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Frank Kirschke et al.

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Filing Date: **March 26, 2004**

Title: **Method for Detection of a Leak in the
Intake Manifold of an Internal
Combustion Engine and Internal
Combustion Engine Setup Accordingly**

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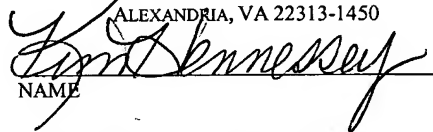
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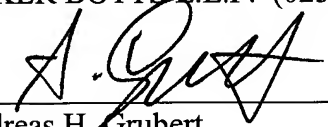
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